

Proclamation

By the Governor of Alabama

WHEREAS, about every two and a quarter minutes, a person in the U.S. is diagnosed with lung cancer; and

WHEREAS, lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths; and

WHEREAS, lung cancer screening saves lives. Advocacy and increased awareness will result in more high-risk individuals getting screened; and

WHEREAS, public support for research funding will result in new treatments and better methods of early detection; and

WHEREAS, LUNG FORCE is a national initiative led by the American Lung Association to defeat lung cancer;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim May 7 through May 13, 2023, as

Lung Cancer Action Week

in the state of Alabama.



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the Office of the Governor at the State Capitol in the City of Montgomery on the 8^{th} day of May 2023.

Kay Ivey, Governor